Household Commodity Fact Sheet





PEANUT BUTTER, SMOOTH

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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

 Peanut butter is U.S. Grade A finely ground peanuts with a smooth texture. Peanut butter has added vegetable oil.

PACK/YIELD

 Peanut butter is packed in 18-ounce packages, which is about 2 cups or 16 servings (2 tablespoons each).

STORAGE

- Store unopened peanut butter in a cool, dry place.
- Store opened peanut butter tightly in its original container.
- Do not freeze peanut butter.
- Look at the "Best if used by" or "Best by" date on the package.
- For further guidance on how to store and maintain USDA Foods, please visit the FDD Web site at:

http://www.fns.usda.gov/fdd/facts/biubguidance.htm.

USES AND TIPS

- Try spreading it on bread with jelly or jam, honey, or sliced bananas.
- Add peanut butter to breads, muffins, and cookie batter.
- Peanut butter can be used in sauces, dips, soups, and stews.

NUTRITION INFORMATION

 2 tablespoons of peanut butter count as 2 ounces in the MyPyramid.gov Meat, Poultry, Fish, Dry Beans, Eggs, and Nuts Group. For a 2,000-calorie diet, the daily recommendation is about 5 ½ ounces.

OTHER RESOURCES

- www.nutrition.gov
- www.commodityfoods.usda.gov

| NUTRITION FACTS |
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| Serving size: 2 tablespoons |
| neanut hutter |

Amount Per Serving

Calories 190 Calories from Fat 140

(32g) smooth

| Calories | 190 | Caloi | ies ironi ra | 140 | | |
|-------------------|-------------|-----------------------|--------------|-----|--|--|
| | | % Daily Value* | | | | |
| Total Fat 16 | ig | | 24% | | | |
| Saturated | Fat 3g | 15% | | | | |
| <i>Trans</i> Fat | 0g | | | | | |
| Cholesterol | 0mg | | 0% | | | |
| Sodium 150 | mg | | 6% | | | |
| Total Carbol | nydrate | | 3% | | | |
| Dietary Fil | oer 2g | | 8% | | | |
| Sugars 20 | 9 | | | | | |
| Protein 7g | | | | | | |
| Vitamin A | 0% | | Vitamin C | 0% | | |
| Calcium | 2% | | Iron | 4% | | |
| *Percent Daily V | alues are b | a 2,000 calorie diet. | | | | |

SPICY PEANUT VEGETABLES

MAKES ABOUT 4 SERVINGS

Ingredients

- 1 tablespoon peanut butter
- 2 tablespoons lite sodium soy sauce
- 1 tablespoon sugar
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- ½ cup water
- ½ teaspoon red pepper flakes
- Nonstick cooking spray
- 1 onion, sliced
- 1 green pepper, sliced
- 3 carrots, sliced
- 1 zucchini, sliced

Directions

- Combine peanut butter, soy sauce, sugar, lemon juice, water, and red pepper in a bowl, stirring to combine.
- 2. Spray a large saucepan with nonstick cooking spray. Over medium heat, cook onion until soft, stirring once in awhile.
- 3. Add green pepper, carrots, and zucchini, and cook until soft.
- 4. Pour sauce over vegetables and cook 1 minute.
- 5. Serve while hot or refrigerate.

| Nutritional Information for 1 serving (about ¾ cup) of Spicy Peanut Vegetables | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------|------------------|----------------|-----------|---------|-----------|-------|--|
| Calories | 120 | Cholesterol | 0 mg | Sugar | 12 g | Vitamin C | 47 mg | |
| Calories from Fat | 30 | Sodium | 350 mg | Protein | 5 g | Calcium | 38 mg | |
| Total Fat | 4 g | Total Carbohydra | te 20 g | Vitamin A | 401 RAE | Iron | 1 mg | |
| Saturated Fat | 0.5 g | Dietary Fiber | 3 g | | | | | |

Recipe adapted from Recipezaar.com.

PEANUT BUTTER COOKIES

MAKES ABOUT 12 SERVINGS

Ingredients

- ⅔ cup peanut butter
- ²/₃ cup sugar
- 1 egg
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Directions

- 1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees F.
- 2. Combine all ingredients together in a large bowl and mix well.
- 3. Drop by the tablespoonful onto a baking sheet. Flatten cookies with a fork.
- 4. Bake 15 minutes.

| Nutritional Informat | Nutritional Information for 1 serving (about 1 cookie) of Peanut Butter Cookies | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|---|--------------------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|--|
| Calories | 140 | Cholesterol | 20 mg | Sugar | 12 g | Vitamin C | 0 mg | |
| Calories from Fat | 70 | Sodium | 70 mg | Protein | 4 g | Calcium | 10 mg | |
| Total Fat | 7 g | Total Carbohydrate | 15 g | Vitamin A | 6 RAE | Iron | 0 mg | |
| Saturated Fat | 1.5 g | Dietary Fiber | 1 g | | | | | |

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